

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
New Jersey Urban League
April 8, 1930.

Newark, N. J.

Meeting was called to order by President Bannwart.
Prayer was offered by Rev. Garner.

Those present were Mrs. Granger, Mrs. Janifer, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Bannwart, Mr. King, Rev. Garner and Mr. Gwinnell.

The Industrial Secretary read the report for February and March. He pointed out the usual labor depression. Motion prevailed that the report of the Industrial Secretary be approved and filed.

The report of the Treasurer was read and approved. Correspondence was read from the Newark Welfare Federation, the New York Urban League and the National Urban League.

Rev. Garner in speaking of "Green Pastures" said he had seen the cast in action and recommended it to the members of the Executive Committee.

Mr. Ormond in reporting progress of the Activities Committee, stated that Mrs. Palmer was designated to suggest what furnishings were necessary for the apartment.

Mrs. Bannwart spoke of the interview she and Mr. Bannwart had with Miss Sims. She raised with her the question of inadequacy of our budget. Of our desire to expand our work to meet real community needs. Miss Sims seemed to have thought that what is necessary is that we show the interest of colored people in the Urban League, and that we seek opportunity to demonstrate that we can put over a real social work job. With this accomplished we are then in position to gather funds for the extension of our work.

Mrs. Bannwart also pointed out how necessary it was that we use our influence in directing attention to our program. President Bannwart stated that the meeting was open for discussion. Mr. Gwinnell asked whether Miss Sims thought the \$40,000 budget would be allowed. Her answer was that she thought so after the necessary demonstration.

Motion prevailed that a committee be appointed to follow the suggestions of our Executive Secretary to seek the endorsement of reputable Negro organizations of the New Jersey Urban League.

Motion prevailed that a committee be appointed to arrange all necessary data relative to the immediate development of

our work.

Motion prevailed that Bi-laws be so amended to enable the enlargement of the Executive Committee.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Carl Banwart, President.

L.B. Ellerson, Secretary.